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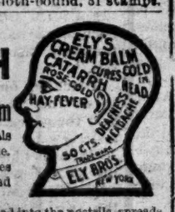

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THE GORDONSVILLE ASSAULT CASES.

From the state of tense and almost uncontrollable excitement brought about by the atrocities alleged to have been committed on the night of January 30, when several homes in Gordonsville were entered and four young women were said to have been chloroformed and two outraged, the town has not altogether recovered.

A counter-current of popular feeling is beginning to set in, however, and is being manifested in a singular manner. Many hold to the belief that while an attempt was made to rob the home of Rev. F. A. Meade, no assault was attempted upon the two young ladies who slept there, this view being in defiance of the public avowal made by the father of the young women, the Misses Bowers, of Orange, who claims that his daughters were assaulted by unknown parties while asleep. Among these are many representative citizens. They explain the rumor as the result of the natural grief and horror of the father at the mere suspicion of the possibility of the outrage.

There are, however, many who are staunch in their belief that Mr. Bowers' fears are well grounded. However this may be, he is said to have been frantic with rage and to have made no attempt to conceal what he believed to have been the facts.

R. G. Watkins, town sergeant, is strongly of the opinion that no assault was made upon either of the young women. Sergeant Watkins says that on the following morning (Thursday) upon being notified he at once went to the rectory. Upon entering the apartment occupied by the young ladies he found no indications whatever of such violence as it had been claimed took place.

That the house had been entered was evident. Entrance was effected over a low back porch, on which face three doors and two windows. One of these doors and one window of those at the extreme rear end of the building open into the kitchen. Through this kitchen window the intruders forced their entrance. Whether they ever got farther Sergeant Watkins doubts, and there are others here who share his opinion.

A strong argument with those who think differently is their belief that the young women themselves ought to know. Others set forth doctrines of hysteria and suspect that the two sisters, upon learning of the wholesale housebreaking that night in Gordonsville, and upon finding their kitchen window up and realizing their thoroughly unprotected situation, were victimized by their own fervent imaginations and became convinced of a more serious calamity. No physician was called in to verify the alarming reports, and as both of the sisters have returned to their home, near Orangeville, no further solution seems probable.

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Trouble in Persia.

It was announced in a dispatch from Teheran yesterday afternoon that anti-government bands had seized the ammunition stores at Tabriz and that faction fighting was proceeding in the streets.

The Shah last night sent a message to Parliament granting all the popular demands, including formal recognition that the country is under constitutional government. This message was telegraphed to Tabriz, where the people had seized the arsenal and closed the government offices.

A dispatch received at St. Petersburg from Teheran says that the revolutionary movement is spreading at Teheran, Tabriz, Shiraz and Resht, where local leagues, known as Medjem, have been formed. The leagues do not acknowledge the authority of Parliament or the Shah. At Teheran the governor is said to be powerless, while Governor Marandi, of Tabriz, has been arrested and bastinadoed by order of the Medjem, which is supported by armed bands that have been crossing the frontier from the Caucasus.

Counter leagues, called Fedan, are being organized to defend Parliament, which, though not in sympathy with the revolutionary movement, is classed as lacking in backbone. It is stated that the pressure of the street crowds which fill the Parliament building at Teheran interrupt the sessions, and that they have assaulted the unpopular Kadjur princes, particularly Prince Naib Es Sultaneh, the war minister and father-in-law of the sultan.

The only minister exempt from attack is Sadrszan, whose two sons are radical leaders. Many meetings are being held in the mosques, fiery speeches are being delivered and proclamations are being issued denouncing the ministers. It is asserted that the weakness of Parliament is driving many prominent persons into the ranks of the conservatives.

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While investigation is an essential incident, he said, the motive behind the movement is to strengthen the missionary cause; to develop co-operation between the different churches engaged in missionary work, and, through co-operation in missions, to bring together Christian people at home.

A commission of representatives American business men who have been for years contributors to the foreign missionary cause is being appointed, who will go, at their own charges. They will leave at an early date to make personal inspection of the various missionary establishments throughout the world. It is proposed that the list shall include 100 commissioners, and the work shall be so subdivided that all of the important fields will be visited. It is proposed to investigate whether the moneys and accounts are handled in a proper business way; whether the native population is being effectively reached; to examine the present missionary equipment, and to report upon any additional necessities, in the way of workers or equipment.

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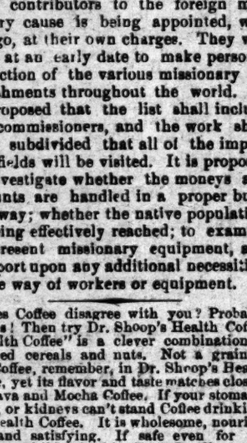

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THE DEATH a few days ago of Sir William H. Russell, the famous English war correspondent, recalls to mind his retreat from the battlefield of Bull Run July 21, 1861. Russell with a large number of Washingtonians and others went out to view the battle. Most of the crowd went in open hacks, carrying champagne and edibles as they would in indulging in an outing in peaceable times. When the stampede of the federal army set in the retreat to Washington is said to have been one of the most laughable exhibitions ever witnessed. An army wagon turned over in the narrowest portion of a country road and the many vehicles following piled up against it. The retreat of Russell was said to have been especially amusing, and it was described in all its ludicrousness by the correspondent of a New York paper. Russell had been sent to this country by the London Times to follow the federal army and write accounts of the battles. Russell later returned to England. He was ever afterwards known as "Bull Run" Russell.

PROFESSOR D'ARSONVAL, an eminent member of the French Academy of Sciences, has made public his discovery of a high frequency current electric treatment or bath, which he believes will indefinitely defer, if not actually prevent old age and death. He says that the majority of people die of arteriosclerosis. He uses a sphygomometer to measure the tension of the blood in the arteries. If the mercury of the instrument marks fifteen or sixteen centimetres, it shows a normal tension. If the tension is higher or lower, Professor d'Arsonval states that six baths of high frequency current will bring it to the normal, where it will remain, all danger of arteriosclerosis being removed. These baths of five or ten minutes each may be taken three times a week. They give the patient absolutely no sensation. It only remains to find a method of checkmating microbes from without, and the Matin believes that the world will possess the means of perpetual health. Most people would like to believe with the Mater.

A MILLION acres of public domain in Nebraska, stolen by the cattle men and fenced in, have been restored to the national domain and thrown open to settlement, and it is hoped that before the war on the illegal fences is over three million acres will have been recovered. These cattle men generally make some pretense of conformity with law; their hired men go through the forms of homesteading a piece of ground, and as soon as they get title they assign it to their employers. But sometimes the cattle men simply stretch their barbed wire fences over the ground they find it convenient to use. It was in Nebraska that a federal judge last fall sentenced two men who had confessed to fencing about 225,000 acres of public land to be committed to the custody of the marshal for six hours, and he at once surrendered them to their own attorneys; but the government is recovering its property.

WHILE a number of people of Lancaster county, Va., were excitedly discussing the Thaw case in a store which is built over the water on the edge of Indian creek, the weight of the arguments and of the gathering caused the foundation to give way, and the store sank to the bottom of the creek, carrying with it the disputants and the stock of merchandise. Fortunately no one was drowned. This brings to mind reminiscenses of the Cluverius case, 21 years ago. This murder afforded such a theme for discussion that the proprietors of certain stores in this city where men were wont to gather were compelled to ring bells when attempts were made to discuss the case.

From Washington.

(Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.

Washington, Feb. 12.

The main reason why further discussion of the Japanese situation by the President and the San Francisco officials has been postponed until the latter part of the week is to give Secretary of State Root an opportunity to communicate with the Japanese Ambassador. Before another conference is held at the White House, Mr. Root hopes to be able to present to the delegation from the Golden Gate some definite information as to what the Japanese government is prepared to do in the way of restricting emigration from Japan to the United States. The Secretary will lay before Ambassador Aoki the views of the San Francisco gentlemen in full. He will also show how it is impossible at this time for the federal government to prevent segregation of Japanese school children in that city. It will be necessary to wait until the cases now in court shall have been adjudicated. This may take a year or more. In the end the Supreme Court may decide that the State of California and the city of San Francisco were well within their rights in segregating the Japanese. Under such circumstances, there would be absolutely no remedy. The Secretary will point out the willingness of the San Franciscans to recede from what they believe to be their just rights, provided coolie immigration may be excluded from the United States, and it is hoped that he may receive assurances in return that will justify him in promising Mayor Schmitz and his associates what they most desire. It is learned that one of the strongest points made by Mayor Schmitz in presenting his case to the President was the attitude of the federal government toward negroes in the District of Columbia. Negro school children are segregated from the white in the very capital of the nation. The San Francisco authorities can not understand the consistency of a proposition that would prevent segregation of aliens of the yellow race under a state law when the federal government itself draws the racial line against black citizens of our own country. President Roosevelt went over the whole situation with the members of the Cabinet at today's meeting.

Representative Bioger Hermann, of Oregon, faced trial today before Judge Stafford in the District Supreme Court, charged with violation of section 5408, of the Revised Statutes, in that he destroyed 35 letter press copy books while he was commissioner general of the land office. The indictment was filed March 3, 1905. Attorneys Worthington and Gailey of the defense will contend that Mr. Hermann is not guilty of the offense charged in that the books destroyed were his personal property. This is the first case against Mr. Hermann that has been called to trial since his indictment either in Washington or in Oregon, where several cases are pending. The indictment here was the outcome of evidence procured against him by agents in Oregon in behalf of the Interior Department. It is understood that as soon as this case is completed, the other land fraud cases in which Mr. Hermann is named as a defendant will be taken up. Milton J. Purdy, who conducted the cases against Senator John H. Mitchell and several other prominent men in Oregon and California, will conduct the prosecution. He expects to show that Hermann, while Commissioner of the General Land Office, deliberately destroyed government property for the purpose of hiding his alleged complicity in western land frauds. A number of witnesses from the far north west have been summoned.

The Senate now has the original copies of the documents, papers and figures submitted to the Interstate Commerce Commission by Hanks & Harriman, the railway experts recently given a chance to "make good," by the President, but who failed to show that railway rates could be reduced ten per cent or that the work of the commission was based on error. The commission, in transmitting the original records, which make a big package, explains that its clerical force was not large enough to have copies made before Congress died. Among other exhibits are those relating to the gross earnings of railways per mile; of uniting all railways under one system; statement of leased and narrow guage roads; tentative scheme of numbering railways; figures on switching and terminal companies.

Secretary of War Taft, chairman Shonts of the Isthmain Canal Commission and Counsel Rogers of the commission were here today by the Senate committee on inter-oceanic canals explaining the details of the plan to let the construction work of the Panama canal to private contract. They strongly approved of the proposed contract on the ground that it would relieve the government of many troublesome questions in connection with the labor supply, ect., and would be economical both in time and cost.

The Senate committee on finance today made favorable report on a bill designed to afford additional elasticity to the currency and to provide measures of financial relief. The bill provides for the issuance of gold certificates of denominations of $10 and up to $10,000. If the gold coin and bullion held in the Treasury reserve falls below $100 000,000, or if the aggregate amount of United States notes and silver certificates in the general treasury fund exceeds $60,000,000, the issue of these certificates may be suspended. The Secretary of the Treasury is authorized, to meet the public demand, to issue United States $1, $2 and $5 notes, retiring an equal amount of notes of higher denominations. The bill authorizes the deposit of all government revenues, whether from customs or internal revenue, in national banks on the deposit by them of United States bonds, etc., as security. It also removes the restriction limiting to $3,000,000 per month the amount of circulation that may be withdrawn by national banks and permits them to retire as much as $9,000,000 per month. This is in the interest of the increased elasticity of the currency. The Senate amendments are made to a bill which has already passed the House and if Senator Aldrich can secure their adoption by the Senate the bill will go to a conference committee with good prospects of becoming a law at this session. The changes proposed have been long urged by the financial interest of the country.

Mingo Saunders, the first sergeant of Company B, 25th infantry, was cross examined today by the Senate military committee regarding his statements made yesterday about the Brownsville shooting incident. He still stuck to the story of while running from his quarters to the barracks, he heard bullets flying over his head, coming from the direction of the town and towards the hospital in the government reservation. His reason for not having made this statement when being examined by Gen. Garlington was that no question was asked of him to which that would have been a proper reply. He gave his testimony in a straightforward, direct way and successfully resisted all efforts to tangle him.

A delegation from the George Washington Birthday Celebration Association, of Alexandria, consisting of Messrs. A. D Brockett, E E Dowsham, J. H Trimyer and H. Kirk, jr., were at the Capitol today to invite speakers to be present at the banquet to be given by that association on the 22nd instant and make addresses.

State Department officials are anxiously a waiting arrival of the new treaty between this government and the Dominican Republic, which was properly signed recently by President Caceres and Thomas C. Dawson, the American minister to that Republic.

Ernest L. Howard has been appointed postmaster at Herndon, Farrfax county, vice E. G. Sweezer, resigned.

Among the Virginians in this city today was Mr. J. F. Ryan, of Loudoun, who is a candidate for Congress from the Eighth district. When informed by a representative of the Gazette that Mr. R. W. Moore, of Fairfax, had decided not to become a candidate he said "Then I believe I will be elected." Mr. Ryan says he has the assurances of many friends from throughout the district that he will receive their active support.

Several important changes in Senate committee assignments were made today. Mr. Fulton, of Oregon, fills the vacancy on the committee on military affairs, caused by the death of General Alger; Mr. Smith, of Michigan, gets the chairmanship of the committee on examination and distribution of public documents. Mr. Long, of Kansas, retires from the committee on Indian affairs in favor of his colleague, Mr. Curtis, the new Senator.

Representative John Sharp Williams introduced a bill in the House today a bill to appropriate $2,000,000 from the surplus in the United States treasury for the states to expend in the construction of good roads.

The dead bodies of Leonard T. Brown and Margaret Straub were found this morning in the rear of the business store kept by Brown at 2124 Fourteenth street. The girl lived at 173 T street, and Brown, who had a wife and child, lived at 1321 Columbia avenue. When found the girl was lying on a cot and Brown on the floor with a pistol near his right hand. On the cot was a box of candy. The girl was employed in the Bureau of Engraving and Printing. It is supposed that the had a quarrel and Brown killed the girl and then turned the weapon on himself.

News of the Day

A German-American tariff war will probably be obviated by the work of the recent international conference.

The break in the Colorado river has finally been shut off. It is now expected that the Salton Sea will disappear by evaporation in about 10 years.

A measure barring all persons over a certain age from the California schools is said to be the probable basis of agreement on the Japanese question.

A dispatch from Berlin says that the government has given orders that the new cruiser Roon shall be sent to the coming Jamestown Exposition to represent the German government there.

"Honey" Mellody disposed of Willie Lewis in four rounds before the Valley Falls, R. I., Athletic Club last night. Lewis's seconds threw up the sponge in the fourth round after Mellody had shown himself the better man all through.

Fifty members of the Naval Academy, class of 1907, received their diplomas of graduation yesterday at the hands of Secretary of the Navy Metcalf, at Annapolis. Among the graduates were C R. Hvatt, of Jonesville, and W. T. Smith, of Fredericksburg.

After four hours of debate on various matters utterly foreign to the measure under consideration, the Senate yesterday passed the army appropriation bill. District legislation exclusively was considered in the House. An amendment to a street railway extension bill, providing for 3-cent fares, was adopted and afterward rejected.

One person was killed, two others were overcome by smoke, and the lives of 150 persons were placed in jeopardy by a fire in the Waverly House, a family hotel, in City Square, Charlestown, Mass., last night. One-third of those in the hotel found their usual means of exit cut off and were forced to gain the street by the fire escapes or over ladders.

Edwin W. Reidnauer, a baker, and his four children—Percy, aged eight years; Fanny, aged six; Pauline, aged four, and Arthur, two years old—were burned to death last night in a fire which destroyed their home in Allentown, Pa. Reidnauer was frying doughnuts when the fat boiled over on the floor, seting the house on fire. The children and their mother were asleep in an upper room. Reidnauer rushed up stairs and endeavored to rescue his family, but was overcome by smoke, and before the firemen reached the scene all of the inmates, with the exception of Mrs. Reidnauer, had been burned to death.

Virginia News.

William H. Brittingham, one of the best-known citizens of Portsmouth, died Saturday night, aged 70 years. He was a Confederate veteran.

The staff officers of the three Virginia regiments of infantry will assemble in Richmond Saturday at four o'clock to elect a brigadier-general.

The University of Virginia is to have a big summer school, patterned somewhat after those at Harvard, Columbia, and the University of Chicago.

Captain Louis Francis Bossieux, 65 years old, died at his home in Richmond, Sunday. He is survived by his wife and one son, Bradley Johnson Bossieux.

It is understood that Judge W. F. Rhea, of Bristol, will be appointed to a place on the Corporation Commission one year hence, to take the place of Mr. Stuart, whose term will expire then.

Abraham Criswell, for many years a toll-gate keeper on North Frederick Turnpike, at Back Creek, near Winchester, who was known by scores of traveling men, died yesterday, aged seventy-nine years.

Mrs. Lutie Morrison Bernard, widow of Judge David Meade Bernard, of Petersburg, died yesterday at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. William A. Worth, from the effects of a stroke of paralysis suffered last Friday. Mrs. Bernard was 53 years old.

It developed yesterday in Roanoke that the unknown man who was thought to have been killed on the Shenandoah Valley division, Saturday night, was murdered and the body placed on the track. The identity of his slayer has not been ascertained.

Emanuel Roller, a prominent citizen of Rockingham county, died at his home, near McCrawford, yesterday. Mr. Roller was 63 years of age and at 17 he enlisted in the Confederate cavalry under Turner Ashby, serving with distinction throughout the civil war.

Henry Clapham, jr., son of Henry Clapham, of Leesburg and Miss Georgia Virts, formerly of Loudoun county, but now residing near Jefferson, Frederick county, Md., were married Saturday evening at the bride's home. Mrs. Clapham is the daughter of the late George Virts, a former well-known citizen of Loudoun county.

Members of the executive committee of the State Library Board say that Librarian Kennedy has verbally placed his resignation at the disposal of the committee, remarking that his written resignation would be at the disposal of the board as soon as it met, on the 14th, as he appreciated the fact that present conditions might cause some embarassment to the board.

To stop a Cold with "Preventics" is safer than to let it run and cure afterwards. Taken at the "sneeze stage" Preventics will head off all colds and Grippe and perhaps save you from Pneumonia or Bronchitis. Preventics are little toothsome candy cold cure tablets selling in 5 cents and 25 cent boxes. If you are chilly, if you begin to sneeze, try Preventics. They will surely check the cold, and please you. Sold by E. S. Leadbeater & Sons, druggists.

Fifty-ninth Congress.

Washington, Feb. 12.

SENATE.

An appropriation of $85,000 to provide play grounds for the school children of this city is included in the District of Columbia appropriation bill reported today to the Senate.

The Senate passed a bill providing for an investigation into the affairs of the Mexican Kickapoo Indians, by the Senate committee on Indian affairs.

Mr. Nelson got before the Senate the administration bill permitting an appeal by the government in criminal cases. Mr. Rayner opposed the bill as unwise legislation.

HOUSE.

The House voted today immediately after convening to disagree to the amendments made by the Senate to the fortification appropriation bill and appointed conferees.

Conferees were also appointed on the omnibus light house bill.

The House passed a bill for the appointment of an additional U. S. judge for the Northern district of Alabama.

The naval appropriation bill was taken up under the five minutes rule.

In opposing a further increase of the navy Mr. Slayden said that talk of war with Japan is not only ridiculous but wicked. The poverty of Japan and the wealth of the United States forbade such a conflict.

On a point of order the House knocked out of the naval appropriation bill a provision giving the additional grade to fifteen rear admirals and three commodores who served with credit in the regular or volunteer forces during the civil war and who were retired prior to June 30, 1899.

Railroad Rates.

Representatives of the Washington Southern and the Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac Railways appeared before the State Corporation Commission in Richmond yesterday to show cause why these roads should not adopt a flat two-cent passenger rate over their lines in this State. Warren P. Taylor, traffic manager for both organizations, was the first witness called. He said that the rates charged by these lines are now so low that any further reduction would be unreasonable. The round trip from Richmond to Washington, he said, is a rate of two and one-fifth cents a mile, and he insisted, if his roads should be forced to reduce the revenue to a two-cent basis, it would lose, under certain conditions, 38 per cent. of its earnings. Speaking for the Washington Southern, the witness said the average rate over that line is two cents a mile, while on some local routes it is a half cent a mile.

Following Mr. Taylor's examination Judge Wm. J. Leake detailed the history of the road and the conditions under which it has been operated, saying that until the road has recovered from the expenses incurred in putting it on its present basis the reduction of its revenue by forced adoption of a flat two-cent passenger rate would be an unjust hardship.

Another Shock.

Jamaica, Feb. 12.—The heaviest earthquake shock since the destruction of the city, January, 14, came last night, and many of the shattered structures toppled over. People were aroused from their sleep and ran into the streets and parks where they remained much of the night. It is said that at least ten blacks who had tempted fate by moving into wrecked buildings were buried and are dead. The tower of the parish church, one of the oldest in the island, was greatly out of plumb by the great shock and last night much of the superstructure fell into the street. Headquarters house where Governor Swettenham conducts his affairs, was badly damaged. Great cracks were left in the walls by the first quake, and it was considered dangerous. Now that the walls have slipped again, and many bricks have fallen, no one will enter the place. The Government papers will be rescued and it is probable that the governor will establish new headquarters today.

Briggs to Support the Administration.

Trenton, N. J, Feb. 12.—United States Senator-elect Frank O. Briggs, in an interview today frankly declared that as the representative of a strong protectionist state, and state that had given President Roosevelt a plurality of more than 80,000, he expected to support the policies of the republican administration at Washington.

Train Strikes Funeral Procession.

New York, Feb. 12.—Three persons were killed and many injured when a Long Island Railroad passenger train dashed into a funeral procession at noon, today, on a grade crossing at Penny Bridge, Meeker Avenue, near Calvary Cemetery.

The Funeral of Mr. Rixey.

The remains of the late Representative John F. Rixey were taken to Culpeper yesterday morning over the Southern Railway, leaving Washington at 10 o'clock. A large party accompanied the remains, including the congressional committee. The funeral services in Culpeper were largely attended. The relatives and friends of Mr. Rixey for many miles around drove to Culpeper to pay their last tribute of respect to his memory. Interment was in the family lot of the Rixeys in Culpeper Cemetery. During the funeral all the business houses in the town closed and every respect was shown to the memory of the deceased.

Answering a hypothetical question covering every detail of the testimony up to this time in the Thaw trial, including Mrs. Evelyn Nesbit Thaw's narration of her life history to the defendant, Dr. Charles G. Wagner, superintendent of the State Hospital for the Insane in Binghamton, N. Y., declared on the witness stand in New York late yesterday that, in his opinion, Harry K. Thaw did not know that the act was wrong when he shot and killed Stanford White.

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Today's Telegraphic News

The Thaw Trial.

New York, Feb. 12.—Just before court opened today for the continuation of the trial of Harry Thaw it was learned that Jerome had executed a flank movement and secured from "Abe" Hummel, the disbarred attorney, a photographic copy of the affidavit which Hummel, acting for Stanford White, secured from Evelyn Nesbit, charging Harry Thaw with cruelty and abduction in Paris. On the witness stand Evelyn Nesbit Thaw swore that her signature to the document was secured by fraud, and that she had protested again it being drawn up in the first place. It is realized, however, that in the hands of the State it may prove a dangerous weapon.

A witness who may prove valuable for the defense will arrive tomorrow on the Saxonia from Kingstown. He is James Morley, for five years Thaw's valet and secretary. Morley declares that Thaw slew White under the hypnotic influence of a Frenchman. He declares that the Frenchman and Stanford White were once friends, but quarreled over an actress in Paris. Thaw was also acquainted with the man and used frequently to allow himself to be put under his spells, just for amusement. It is Morley's theory that the Frenchman, desiring to cause White's death, put the idea into Thaw's head of killing the architect and then forced him to carry out the scheme.

Today is Harry K. Thaw's birthday. He is thirty-six years old today. Thaw was remembered on the occasion by all his relatives and friends. Their gifts were sent to the Tombs, and he had a busy time examining all the packages before he was called to court. When he reached the prison pen his wife was there to greet him and congratulate him on the occasion. It was with earnest mien that she wished him "Many happy returns of the day."

In his mail were many letters and notes offering congratulations and the prisoner smiled as he read several of them in the court room.

"Everyone says you will be acquitted on the first ballot" was the little wife's parting word of cheer for her husband, as the grim call of "Harry K. Thaw, to the bar," sounded throughout the courtroom.

Dr. Britton D. Evans, superintendent of the New Jersey Hospital for the Insane at Morris Plains, N. J., was the first witness called to the stand this morning. He related the experience he has had in the study and care of the insane thus qualifying as an expert on insanity.

Dr. Evans in reply to questions from Attorney Delmas, declared that he had made eight visits to see Harry Thaw at the Tombs. Two of these visits he made alone and the other six were made in company with other experts.

"What, during these visits, did you observe of the mental condition of Harry K. Thaw?" asked Delmas.

"I object," said District Attorney Jerome.

The objection was sustained by the court, and Delmas then asked the witness to state his observation on the occasion of his first visit on August 4, 1906.

"I observed" said Dr. Evans, "speaking carefully, and evidently exercising every effort to prevent interruption by the alert prosecutor, "that Harry K. Thaw exhibited a peculiar facial expression, a glare and a restlessness of the eyes and unnatural suspicion of me and every one about, an unnatural nervousness such as comes from a severe brain storm which attacks a person undergoing a great mental explosion. Further than this, he had a delusion of a personal character. He had an exaggerated idea of his own importance and believed that he was the victim of a persecution which made his role that of a martyr."

Mr. Delmas asked Dr. Evans to explain in detail the "exaggerated ego," which he had testified he noticed in Thaw on his visit.

The doctor plunged into a long professional explanation of forms of insanity. By "exaggerated ego," he said, he meant the patient had an exaggerated idea of his own powers or abilities, wholly out of proportion to the normal.

"Does this form of delusion result in permanent insanity?" asked Delmas.

"It is a character of more than one form of mental disease."

He announced pomposly that Thaw had refused to accede to his argument but stuck to the opinion he held before the doctor talked to him.

The witness then proceeded to tell of subsequent interviews he had had with Thaw.

A recess was subsequently taken until 2 o'clock.

Fire in Philadelphia.

Philadelphia, Feb. 12.—Fire shortly before eight o'clock this morning in the building occupied by the Phoenix Pants and Overall Company, No. 107 south Third street, in the banking district quickly spread to adjoining buildings, and, fanned by a high wind, threatened to destroy many properties. One man, Louis Debestkey, 40 years old, a trousers finisher, jumped to his death from the fourth story window of the Phoenix building, and it was rumored that a number of girls were hemmed in by the flames and burned to death. Nine men escaped to the Western Union building, by forming a human chain. The building occupied by the Pheonix Company and the one at No. 105 south Third street adjoining, occupied by Dume Son & Co., cotton and linters, are completely gutted and the roofs of the buildings, Nos. 246 and 248 Chestnut street caught fire and the firemen worked heroically to save them. At 9:30 the fire was reported under control. Debestkey's death was dramatic. In his terror to escape from the burning building he leaped from a passage way to the pavement below.

Pat Daly Knocked Out.

London, Feb. 12.—Jack Goldswain, of London, knocked out Pa Daly, an American light weight, in the fifth round of their fight for the light weight championship before the National Sporting Club, last night.

Terrible Mine Disaster.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 12.—Forty men were killed outright and scores injured by an explosion in the mines at Bakum today. The bodies of the dead were all horribly mangled.

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The Market.

Georgetown, Feb. 12.—Wheat 65@73,

PASSENGER STEAMER SINKS

Most of the Passengers Drowned or Frozen to Death.

Newport, R. I., Feb. 12.—The Joy Line steamship Larchmont, bound from Boston to New York, sank off Block Island last night after being in collision with the schooner Harry Knowlton. Several passengers are reported lost.

The Knowlton was also lost, the schooner going down at once, while the steamship weathered the seas for some time following the crash. It is understood the schooner's crew escaped in the boats. The collision occurred off Watch Hill.

Newport, Feb. 12.—The steamer Larchmont, of the Joy Line, sank off Block Island early today after a collision with the schooner Harry Knowlton. Most of the passengers were drowned or frozen to death. Fourteen bodies have been washed ashore. The Knowlton was bound for South Amboy with coal from Boston.

Watch Hill, R. I., Feb. 12.—There were about a hundred passengers on the Larchmont and only six or seven were saved.

Watch Hill, R. I., Feb. 12.—The Joy line steamer Larchmont and the three-masted schooner Harry Knowlton, collided off Quanochontaug Beach at 11 o'clock last night. The schooner's crew were rescued by the crew of the life saving station on the coach, and are now on the shore there. The schooner is sunk off shore in twenty feet of water. The steamer disappeared after the collision, but word comes this morning via Narragansett Pier that she was sunk within fifteen minutes after the collision. Two boat loads of passengers got away from the sinking steamer, but the remaining, numbering about four-score, are believed to have been lost. The two boats landed on Block Island, but half of the boats loads were frozen to death. The wreckage from the steamer began floating ashore on Block Island this morning.

Word was sent to Captain T. A Scott, New London, and he has dispatched the tug Harriet and the lighter to the scene of the collision.

The wind was blowing a gale from the northwest at the time of the collision, and it is supposed the collision was from this cause. The crew of the schooner knew nothing of the fate of the steamer.

Boston, Feb 12.—Excepting the press reports the local officer of the Joy line up to 10:30 o'clock had received no word of the sinking of their steamer Larchmont off Block Island last night.

Eighteen tickets were sold for this trip at the Boston office.

New London, Feb. 12.—The Ascot Wrecking Company was notified today that the Joy Liner Larchmont and the schooner Harry Knowlton were in collision off Block Island between point Judith and Watch Hill some time during the night.

The information says that the schooner was sunk and that the crew are safe with the life savers on the north shore of Block Island. Their information also says that the bodies and wreckage are washing ashore at Block Island. They have no other definite information as to the fate of the liner. They have sent out vessels to get what information and render such aid as possible.

New York, Feb. 12.—Officers here of the Joy line are endeavoring to get definite information by long distance telephone concerning the Larchmont's loss from Block Island. They admit that if the Larchmont has been in collision it probably went down.

Some of the telephone messages from Block Island have it that only a boat load of sailors and passengers got ashore from the Larchmont, the others being swamped.

The Larchmont was a vessel of 1,500 tons, and 250 feet over all. She was a side wheeler. So far as is known the weather last night was perfectly clear and no reason is known for the collision.

Captain McVeagh of the Larchmont was saved and has the only list of 150 passengers, as yet unobtainable. The crew numbered thirty.

Providence, R. I., Feb. 12.—Probably 130 persons perished at sea off Quonochontaug Beach, Block Island, as a result of a collision today, between the Joy Liner Larchmont, with a crew of 40 men and about 100 passengers, and the three masted schooner Harry Knowlton, with a crew of eight men.

A single boat reached Block Island from the Larchmont containing eight living men and fourteen corpses, the latter frozen to death, after leaving the sinking ship. The Knowlton's crew escaped in safety in their own boat.

Just how the collision occured is not clear. Survivors from the Larchmont say that there was neither fog nor snow, but that a high sea was running and the thermometer below zero.

The survivors say the Larchmont went to the bottom within a few minutes after being rammed by the Knowlton. The collision occurred at 9 p. m. The night was clear, the sea rough and the thermometer below zero. Captain McVeagh ordered out the boats, but as they were lowered into the water, most of them capsized. Those who reached Block Island alive say but a few can have escaped. Most of them were in their staterooms and so quickly did the vessel go down that but a small number even reached the decks.

Quonochontaug, R. I., Feb. 12.—Capt. Frank T. Haley of the three-masted schooner, Harry Knowlton, of Eastport, Maine, and six of his crew are at the life saving station here. The schooner is on the beach, half a mile below the station and wreckers have been sent for from New London to get her off if possible. Captain Haley tells the following story:

"We were bound east sailing from City Island yesterday for Boston, with a load of coal. The night was dark and the wind was blowing a gale from the northwest. We were sailing with a free wind when I suddenly saw the lights of a steamer in shore. The steamer was on the port tack, and I supposed she would keep on her way. Suddenly she steered directly across our bows. It was too late for us to avoid a collision, and with a terrible crash, she carried away our headgear and cut us down forward.

"I called all my men to pump. The schooner backed away after the collision, and after she had drifted about a quarter of a mile, we lost sight of the steamer in the darkness. We had all we could do to keep afloat and when we got into striking distance of the beach, we took to the boats and came ashore.

Argo Red Salmon is sold in one-pound TALL cans, because only the TALL cans are filled by machinery. Flat and one-half pound cans are filled by hand. Hand work in factories is crude and antiquated. 15cts. a can.

King Edward's Speech.

London, Feb. 12.—Without referring directly to the Swettenham incident, King Edward virtually condemned the Jamaican Governor's conduct by expressing his gratitude in his speech to Parliament from the throne today for the sympathy shown by the United States in the island's great disaster.

"I recognize with sincere gratitude the sympathy shown by the people of the United States," he concluded, in opening parliament, "and the assistance promptly offered by their naval authorities."

Touching on the recent friction between the "Lords" and "Commons" over the educational and other bills, his majesty said:

"Serious questions effecting the working of our parliamentary system have arisen as a result of differences between the two Houses. My ministers have this important matter under consideration.

In conclusion, the King announced measures for "further associating the people of Ireland with the management of their domestic affairs, for otherwise improving the system of government in administrative and financial aspects and for the reform of university education."

The Cold Wave.

New York, Feb. 12.—An intense cold wave which swept down on the city late yesterday afternoon has caused the greatest suffering and inconvenience. The thermometer today hovered about the zero mark, and a cold wind added to the discomfort. Coming with out warning the sudden drop in temperature was responsible for several deaths and probable deaths of a number of other persons. Jennie Bradley, a homeless woman, 60 years old, was one of the victims. She was picked up on West Fourteenth street today almost unconscious from cold and taken to the New York Hospital in a serious condition from exposure. Stephen Hogan, 39 years old was found suffering from the cold and rushed to Ninth avenue and taken to Bellevue. W. L. Spellman was by another unfortunate picked up. All his patients are in bad shape from exposure. The body of a male child, about one year old, was found frozen almost stiff on the fashionable district of West End avenue. Among the tenement dwellers great suffering has been caused.

Another conference was held at the White House yesterday between the President and Mayor Schmitz and the San Francisco school board, looking to an adjustment of the Japanese school question. Nothing resulted from the two hours' talk. Secretary Root was present at the conference. The situation was thrashed out on both sides without discovering a basis of compromise.

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WASHINGTON, D. C.

Alexandria Gazette

Local Matters.

Sun and Tide Table.

Sun rises tomorrow at 6:55 a. m. and sets at 5 34 p. m. High water at 8:25 a. m. and 8:49 p. m.

Weather Probabilities.

For this section fair tonight and Wednesday; continued cold tonight; minimum temperature about 6°; not so cold Wednesday; light variable winds.

Reception to Pastor.

A public reception was last night tendered to Rev. J. R. Sevier, who recently accepted the pastorate of the Second Presbyterian Church. A large congregation was present, among whom were many members of other denominations, as well as most of the ministers of the city. Palms and flowers were in profusion and an interesting programme of music was well rendered.

Rev. Mr. Sevier and Mrs. Sevier, who were in the lecture room, were welcomed by the members of the congregation as they entered, after which the assemblage gathered in the main auditorium where the programme of exercises was rendered.

A. G. Uhler conducted the [illegible]s, the first number of which was [illegible] the Choral Society. This was [illegible] by a solo by Master Davis, which Mr. Uhler delivered the address of welcome to the pastor on behalf [illegible] session. Singing by the "Covenant" [illegible] a juvenile organization, was [illegible] feature. Mr. Robert W. Arnold, on behalf of the Board of Deacons, subsequently delivered an address of welcome to the pastor. A male quartette—Messrs. Kenneth Ogden, Geo. B. Kennedy and F. L. and A. C. Slaymaker—later rendered a selection, at the close of which Mr. P. J. Dempsey, on behalf of the congregation, delivered a suitable address to the pastor. Mr. Kenneth Ogden followed with a solo, and the Choral Society later with a selection, at the close of which Rev. J. H. S. Ewell, of the M. P. Church, on behalf of the Ministerial Association of the city, formally welcomed Mr. Sevier. The latter then arose and in fitting terms acknowledged the cordial welcome that had been extended him. The choir afterwards rendered some fine vocal music, which was followed by a solo by Mr. Maddox.

The congregation was dismissed by Mr. Sevier with the benediction about ten o'clock.

Family Theater.

The Family Theatre, formerly the Opera House, opened last night to a large crowd with something new to this city—continuous vaudeville. The show starts at 7 o'clock and a continuous performance is given until 10 30. There were six numbers to the programme, each one being above the average. Frederick and Ford gave an excellent comedy sketch and introduced some dancing that was decidedly clever and vigorously applauded. Miss Rae Irvine sang German yodel songs in a clear, sweet voice, which was very entertaining. Miss Georgia Thomas (choir celestial) rendered several selections of merit in an excellent voice, including an "Elk Memorial" song. Tom Fay sang in a very pleasing manner the illustrated songs, which were the best illustrated ones ever seen here. The one-act comedy, "The Doctor's Dilemma," was very good and kept the audience in laughter from start to finish. The biograph gave some decidedly good moving pictures, notably among them being "The Hunt for an Illicit Still" and "Chase for a Wig." The show is far above the price asked for admission, and should be greeted by large crowds each night. The pictures and acts will be changed nightly. A matinee will be given every day at 2:30 o'clock.

Ordered to Leave the City.

Bessie Johnson was arrested last night on complaint of three railroad men charged with witholding the proper change of a five-dollar bill. According to their statement, the trio entered the house of the woman in the northeastern section of the city and called for beer. Each of the party had six glasses and the bill as presented called for $1.75—$1.50 for the beer and 25 cents for an individual named Thomas Smith known in the locality as "the professor," who operates on a piano. The men did not protest against the bill, but the woman, it was alleged, refused to return but $2 change. The accused was brought before Justice Caton in the Police Court this morning and given her choice to leave the city within the next 24 hours or go to jail for 60 days. She announced her purpose to shake the dust of the city from her feet. The "professor" was also arraigned and sent to jail for 30 days. A woman named Kate Williams, who had been arrest d with the others on a charge of drunken and disorderly conduct, was fined $5.

Police Court.

[Justice H. B. Caton presiding.]

The following cases were disposed of this morning:

Lee Drowns, arrested by Officers Roberts and Ferguson charged with being drunk on the streets, was committed to jail for ten days.

Bessie Johnson, arrested by Lieutenant Bettis and Officers Young, Knight and Arrington charged with selling beer without a license, was ordered to leave the city under the penalty of being sent to jail for 60 days under the vagrant act.

Kate Williams, arrested by the same officers for drunken and disorderly conduct was fined $5.

Thomas Smith, arrested by the same officers for vagrancy and for assaulting a woman, was sent to jail for 30 days.

Fraternal Visit.

Golden Rule Tent of Rechabites, of Washington, last night visited Perseverance Tent of that order of this city. A programme of exercises which had been prepared was well rendered and all present experienced a delightful evening. At the close of the meeting a collation was served, a portion of which was sent to the Crittenton Home.

Perseverance Tent will give a country social and dance next Friday night at Odd Fellows' Hall, on north Columbus street.

Miss Harriet S. Wattles, living on north St. Asaph street, pricked one of her fingers with a needle while sewing a few days ago and shortly afterward blood poisoning set in. Miss Wattles was removed to the Alexandria Hospital Saturday where every effort is being made to stay the progress of the disease and save her hand.

Congressional Candidates.

It is not known when Governor Swanson will order a special election to fill the congressional vacancy existing in this district caused by the death of Hon. J. F. Rixey, who so long and well represented his constituents. The campaign is on, however, and there are already many candidates in the field and others in prospective.

The Eighth district comprises the counties of Alexandria, Culpeper, Fairfax, Fauquier, King George, Loudoun, Louisa, Orange, Prince William and Stafford, and the city of Alexandria. Population (1900) 154,198. Under the new primary election rules the man receiving the highest vote though it may be a decided minority, will secure the nomination. The candidates now in the field are Messrs. C. C. Carlin and T. H. Ficklin, of Alexandria; Judge Nicol, of Prince William; Mr. J. F. Ryan, of Loudoun. The names of Col. R. E. Lee, of Fairfax; Mr. J. S. Barbour and Judge Grimsley, of Culpeper; Mr. Geo. S. Shackelford, of Orange; Mr. Lindsay Gordon, of Louisa; and T. H. Pilcher, of Fauquier, are also mentioned, but it is not definitely known whether they will enter the race.

Capt. S. R. Donohoe, of Fairfax, states that he is not a candidate for the nomination and Mr. R. Walton Moore authorizes the Gazette to say that after careful consideration of the matter he had decided not to enter the race. He takes this opportunity to thank his many friends throughout the district for their kind proffers of support.

Judge White, of Fauquier, it is also said, will not be a candidate. It is rumored that Judge Nicol will, so soon as he enters actively upon the campaign, tender to the Governor his resignation as judge of the court for this circuit, in order that he may give his entire attention to the canvas

Lent.

With tomorrow, Ash Wednesday, Lent begins, a season supposed to be given up to churchgoing and the putting aside of worldly things. Services in the several churches of the city will be held as follows:

Christ Church—Ash Wednesday at 11 a. m., Tuesdays and Fridays at 5 p. m., and Thursdays at 8 p. m.

St. Paul's Church—Ash Wednesday 11 a. m., Tuesdays at 7:30 p. m., Wednesdays and Thursdays at 4:30 p. m.

Grace Church—Ash Wednesday at 7:30 and 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., Wednesdays at 10:30 a. m., Mondays and Saturdays at 4:30 p. m., week days evening prayer and service at 7:30 p. m., Fridays at 7:30 p. m.

St. Mary's Church—Wednesday evening at 3:30, Way of the Holy Cross, followed by Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. Friday night at 7:30 same as Wednesday evening. Tuesdays first mass at 7 a. m., second mass, high mass and instruction at 10:30, vespers, sermon and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament, at 7:30 p. m.

Immanuel Lutheran—Ash Wednesday 7:30 p. m., and every Sunday night at 7:30 o'clock.

The Weather and River.

The weather was cold again last night, a stiff northwest wind having prevailed. The mercury in the thermometer at 7 o'clock this morning stood at 11°.

Affairs on the river front remain unchanged, the river having froze over again during the night. The steamer Norfolk arrived up about two hours late, having broken a path all the way from Indian Head.

The ferry steamer Callahan broke one of her rudders this morning. Her place was filled a few hours later by the steamer Woodbury.

The "Firefighter" is being used by the Commissioners of the District of Columbia in keeping the ice moving in the Washington harbor and the Georgetown channel.

Pancake Day.

Today is Shrove Tuesday, or "Pancake" day. It is the last day before Lent, and on that account used to be—and still is to a small extent—a day of feasting, for on Ash Wednesday, tomorrow, the fasting begins. The pancakes and fritters which are served in many homes besides those which begin fasting the next day are the last surviving evidences of the banqueting that used to mark Shrove Tuesday. In countries of southern Europe and in Paris the last day before the beginning of the solemn penitential season is celebrated with carnivals and merrymaking. Although the day is not brought to any great climax of formal celebrating now, it means, however, the end of the big social whirl.

Funeral.

The funeral of Ralph Smith, whose death occured at the Alexandria Hospital last Saturday night from injuries received in a fall down a flight of steps at his home, on south Washington street, was held at 7 o'clock last evening at the home of his sister, Mrs. Pauline Jones, 817 Prince street. Rev. C. D. Bulla, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church South, and Rev. J. R. Sevier, pastor of the Second Presbyterian Church, officiated. The body was forwarded this morning to the former home of the deceased in Campbell county for burial.

"Everybody Should Know"

says C. G. Hays, a prominent business man of Bluff, Mo., that Bucklen's Arnica Salve is the quickest and surest healing salve ever applied to a sore, burn or wound, or to a case of piles. I've used it and I know what I'm talking about." Guaranteed by E. S. Leadbeater & Sons, druggists.

Meetings.

The annual meetings of the Independent Steamboat and Barge Company, of the Mount Vernon Construction Company, and of the Land and River Improvement Company, were held in this city yesterday when the old officers were re-elected. The meeting of the Washington Heights Apartment House Company was held today for the election of officers.

Piles get quick relief from Dr. Shoop's Magic Ointment. Remember it's made alone for piles—and it works with certainty and satisfaction. Itching, painful, protruding, or blind piles disappear like magic by its use. Try it and see! For sale by E. S. Leadbeater & Sons, druggists.

LARGE WHITE POTATOES 60c BU

3 Cans Tomatoes, 25c; 4 Cans Corn, 25c; 8 lbs Buckwheat, 25c; Cranberries, 10c qt.; Seeded Raisins, 10c lb.; Table Belle Flour, $4.50 bbl.

WM. P. WOOLLS & SON,
Royal and Wolfe streets.

DON'T FORGET—Messrs. Blondheim & Swift have fresh grated Horse Radish for sale in the City Market, 25c a quart.

Puzzle.—The colder it gets, the hotter it is? Answer, Blondheim & Swift's prepared Horse Radish, "Hot as Blazes."

Death of Mr. Burke.

Mr. N. P. T. Burke, who was stricken with apoplexy on Sunday night last, lingered until shortly after 1 o'clock today when his death followed. He had been practically unconscious since he was prostrated, and his relatives and friends realized from the first that his death was merely a matter of time.

Mr. Burke was a useful and well-known citizen, and by his death Alexandria has lost one who almost since manhood has been actively identified with the city's interests, he having been elected a member of the Board of Alderman in 1887, serving until 1897. He was re-elected in 1901 and succeeded himself in 1906. He has faithfully served as a vestryman of Christ Church, for a number of years. Mr. Burke was the second son of Mr. John W. Burke, and was born in this city nearly 47 years ago. He received his primary education in the local schools and later attended the University of Virginia. While at the portals of manhood he entered the banking house of Burke & Herbert, where he had continued in active service until stricken. The deceased married Miss Jane R. Reynolds, of Boston, who, with two children, survives him. Mr. Burke always took an active part in every movement designed for the interests of this city. During all the years he had been an active Alderman he devoted much of his time to the duties of the position, generally serving on the finance committee. His constituents ever had the strongest faith in his ability and probity, knowing that his action would always be in the line of their interests. His decease will bring forth expressions of regret from all who knew him, as well as sincere tokens of sympathy for those whose homes have been darkened by the hand of death.

He was the grandson of Nicholas P. Trist, who made the treaty of Guadalupe Hidalgo, which brought California into the United States. Mr. Burke was a man of fine appearance, pleasing address and courtly manners, which won for him friends wherever he went. He had apparently been in excellent health up to the moment he was stricken.

Few men who have grown up in Alexandria have ever won a more enviable reputation than had "Cholas" Burke.

Personal.

The Gazette will be pleased to receive items, such as engagements, weddings, parties, teas and other news of personal interest for the "personal" column. The items should be indorsed with the name and address of the sender—not for publication, but as a matter of good faith.

Among the Alexandria who went to Richmond today to attend the meeting of the Grand Lodge of Masons, were Grand Master Kemper and Messrs. C. B. Marshall, A. Oehlert, F. J. Paff, J. J. Green, Samuel P. Fisher, Thomas B. Cochran and M. L. Dinwiddie.

The engagement of Miss Nathalie Contee Thomas, only daughter of Mr. J. Marshall Thomas, to Mr. Gordon C. Whiting has been announced. Mr. Whiting is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence C. Whiting.—[Baltimore American.

The Cameron Run Hunt Club has reorganized with the following officers: Master, Chas. R. Hooff, jr.; secretary, S. Cooper Dawson; hounds, 7 couple; Meets, two each week.

Mr. Carroll Pierce who has been quite indisposed for some days, is able to be out again.

Mr. W. F. Lambert has returned from a visit to his brother in St. Louis.

Mr. Richard Johnston, of Alexandria county, is reported seriously ill at his home on Johnston's Hill. He has suffered from pulmonary trouble a number of years.

Miss McDonald's Shakespeare Class of Arlington Institute yesterday evening very creditably rendered the little drama "Every-ready Edgar" before an appreciative audience composed of the families and friends of the young ladies and the teachers and other pupils of the school. Those taking part were the Misses Elsie Crupper, Celeste Milburn, Inez Marshall, Grace Reid and Edith Snowden.

To Sit in the County.

Judge Barley today received a letter from Judge Crump, chairman of the State Corporation Commission, stating that the members of that commission had decided to sit in the county court house on Friday next, instead of in this city, to hear the complaints against the W., A. & F. C. Railway.

Use a little KODOL after your meals and it will be found to afford a prompt and efficient relief. KODOL nearly approximates the digestive juices. It digests what you eat. It is sold on a guaranteed relief plan. Sold here by W. F. Creighton & Co., 401 King street.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

This is pancake day.

The City Council meets tonight.

The remains of Charles Hayes, who died in Washington Sunday, were brought here today and interred.

Mary Washington Circle, No. 4, D. of A., will give an oyster supper and dance at Odd Fellows' Hall, on north Columbus street, tomorrow night at 8 o'clock.

James Smith, an employee at the American Loktile Works, had one of his fingers cut off by the machinery in that plant yesterday. He was attended by Dr. Smith.

W. C. Perry, colored, was brought here from Washington today by a Lynchburg officer, who will take him to that city tomorrow where he is charged with grand larceny.

The regular monthly meeting of the 17th Virginia Regiment Chapter, U. D. C., will be held tomorrow, Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock, at Confederate Veterans' Hall.

Marriage licenses were issued in Washington yesterday to Norman S. Pearson and Nettie V. Pearson, both of Alexandria, and to Philip H. Nealon and Margaret E. Lynch, of Manassas.

Mr. Jas. G. Wedding, formerly of Maryland, died at Sibley Hospital, Washington, on the 7th instant. The deceased was the husband of Mrs. Florence Claridge Wedding, formerly a resident of Alexandria.

The annual meeting of the Virginia Safe Deposit and Trust Corporation to have been held yesterday was postponed till Monday next on account of the death of Hon. J. F. Rixey, brother of Mr. C. J. Rixey, president of the association.

Mr. P. J. Haltigan, of Washington, editor of the National Hibernian, will deliver a lecture on "The Irish in the American Revolutionary War" at the Young Men's Sodality room Hall on Thursday night at 8 o'clock. The lecture will be under the auspices of Alexandria Division, A. O. H.

A committee of the George Washington Birthday Association (Mr. E. E. Dow ham, chairman,) went to Washington today to procure speakers for the celebration in this city on the 22d instant.

THE LEADER,

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SALE OF

Ladies' Skirts, Shirt Waists and Muslin Trimmed Underwear,

Saving you at least 25c on every dollar's worth bought here. Sale begins Monday morning at 9 o'clock.

Lot Ladies' Dress Skirts, neat patterns, worth $4 and $5, go at $2.98.

Lot Ladies' Black Underskirts, $1.50 and $2 quality, go for 98c.

Lot Ladies' Outing Skirt Patterns at 23c.

Lot Ladies' White Shirt Waists, beautifully trimmed, $2 and $1.50 waists, going for 98c.

Lot Ladies' White Shirt Waists, $1.25 and $1 elsewhere; sale price 69c.

Ladies' Shirt Waists regularly sold at 75c, sale price 49c.

Ladies' Muslin Trimmed Underwear, such as Skirts, Gowns, Drawers and Corset Covers. 39c articles at 25c; 75c articles at 49c; $1.25 quality at 75c; $2 and $1.50 grades at 98c.

SALE OF

Laces & Embroideries

We Are Selling Them at Cost.

Pretty designs and nice quality. Call and be convinced. Think of it; you are offered Laces and Embroideries at exactly what they cost us.

THE LEADER,

405 King Street, Next to Creighton's.

Illustrated Lecture by P. J. Haltigan, Esq.,

Of Washington, Editor of the National Hibernian, on "The Irish in the American Revolutionary War," at

Y. M. S. L. HALL FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 14th, AT 8 P. M.

TICKETS--Admission, 25c. Reserved Seats, 35c.

It is said that several freight cars were derailed at Free tone, on the R., F. & P. R. R. at an early hour this morning.

Oysters fried, stewed or raw. Fried clams. Dining room open on Sunday during oyster season. C. H. Zimmerman, Market Space. feb 26tf

The Alaska Packers Association, who can the Argo Red Salmon, has the largest fleet in number of any shipping firm sailing under the American flag. It owns 55 steamers and 15 sailing vessels and charters many more. That is why Argo can be sold at 15 cents per can.

News was received in Richmond yesterday over the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad to the effect that a violent earthquake shock was felt along the line of the James river division of the Chesapeake and Ohio, between Bremo and Rockcastle, and also along the Buckingham branch of the road, at an early hour yesterday morning.

"Regular as the Sun"

is an expression as old as the race. No doubt the rising and setting of the sun is the most regular performance in the universe, unless it is the action of the liver and bowels when regulated with Dr. King's New Life Pills. Guaranteed by E. S. Leadbeater & Sons, druggists, 25c.

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CARD OF THANKS.

We beg to extend through the columns of the Gazette to our many friends, together with the pastor and church of St. Paul's Church, our most sincere thanks for their kindness and sympathy in our sad bereavement.

Respectfully,
SCHWAB FAMILY.

CHANCE FOR SMALL CAPITAL.

WANTED—PARTNER, married or single, with $350, to start chicken and duck business. Unusual opportunity. Let me tell you about it. Address "X," this office. feb12 3t

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OLD TIME COUNTRY SOCIAL

To be given under the auspices of Perseverance Tent, No. 1098, I. O. of Rechabites, at Odd Fellows' Hall, on north Columbus street on

FRIDAY EVENING, FEBRUARY 15

All persons are requested to come in Country Costume and the lady and gentleman with the most original costume will be presented with a handsome present.

Hoping it will be your pleasure to be with us on this occasion, we are,

Fraternally yours,
COMMITTEE.
J. B. HUGHES, Chairman.
feb12 4t J. H. BARTLETT, Secretary.

$25.00 REWARD FOR THE RECOVERY of a female setter BIRD DOG, answering to the name of "Lady." Black and white, with one brown spot over each eye. GEO. W. PETTEY
feb12 3t 529 King Street.

VINELAND GRAPE JUICE in pint bottles just received by J. C. MILBURN.

Choice YARMOUTH BLOATERS, just received by J. C. MILBURN.

CHINA, GLASS AND HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS.

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This Week Special Sale of

GRANITE IRON COOKING UTENSILS.

6-quart Cook Pots	25c
12-quart Cook Pots	50c
2-quart Tea Pots	25c
2-quart Coffee Pots	25c
Family size Wash Basins	10c
Large size Wash Basins	15c
4-quart Bake Pans	10c

Sleds.

Coupon.

This coupon and $1 98 entitles the bearer to a Storm King Flexible Flyer Sled worth $2.98.

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TO THE CREDITORS OF THE LATE MRS. RACHEL V. PADGETT. All persons having claims against the above estate are requested to present the same before me, duly proven, at my office in the city of Alexandria, Va., on MONDAY, February 18, 1907, at 10 a. m.

E. B. TAYLOR,
118 south Fairfax street,
Commissioner of Accounts, Corporation Court.
febs 8t

$5.00 REWARD FOR THE ARREST and conviction of NEWSPAPER THIEVES. Owing to the large number of papers being stolen, especially on Sunday morning, I will give this reward in each case. R. E. KNIGHT.
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125 to 131 NORTH PITT STREET.

I desire to announce to my friends and the public that I have assumed the management of the "Chatham Stables," recently owned by Mr. R. L. Myers.

Personal attention will be given the boarding of horses and special care taken of their equipment.

A fine line of carriages will be maintained for Weddings, Receptions and other social occasions.

Orders received for cabs to all parts of the city and the Union Station.

Soliciting your favors, I am, yours respectfully,

Phone 31. JAMES T. PATTERSON.
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DRY GOODS.

NOTICE.

To Our Patrons—We have decided to discontinue our business at the corner of King and Pitt streets, in the city of Alexandria, Va., and to close out the stock as speedily as possible we will dispose of the same regardless of profit.

This sale should especially attract other merchants, hotels and boarding houses, as much of this stock was bought for our wholesale trade and cannot be duplicated today at wholesale except at advance prices.

Those in need of store fixtures should avail themselves of this opportunity. We will sell show cases, window fixtures, two good stoves, large iron safe, tables, desks, cash carrier system, &c.

We wish to thank the generous public for their patronage.

Very respectfully,

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Phenominal Laugh Producers,
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MISS RAE IRVINE,
Yodler and Descriptive Singer.
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Choir Celestial.
TOM FAY,
Illustrated Songs.
ONE ACT COMEDY,
"The Doctor's Dilemma."
THE BIOGRAPH.

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Beautiful Hominy.

5 Barrels Dorchester Mills Hominy, Clean White and Free From Pieces of Corn Cob.

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Turtle Soup Beans,

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Fancy Dark Cape Cod CRANBERRIES.

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WASHINGTON, D. C.

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Dainty Wear for Infants and Little Children.

And Rare and Rich House Garments for Women.

Long and Short Coats

Of Mull, Swiss, Hand Embroidery, Silks, Light Wool Cloths, and a particularly choice collection of exquisite Lingerie Coats.

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Of Mull, Straw, Chiffon, and many unique and beautiful effects in Lingerie Hats.

Dresses and Complete Costumes.

Infants' Layettes.

ALSO A MOST COMPREHENSIVE SHOWING OF

Women's Negligees of Silk, Crepe de Chine, &c.

Dressing Sacques, Matinee Bath Robes,

French Corsets and Silk Petticoats

You are cordially invited to inspect these dainty needfuls for children and rare and rich housegarments for women.

Taffeta Silk Petticoats

At the Special Price, $7.50 each.

All white, pink, light blue, &c. Some with accordion-plaited flounce on flounce effect.

Women's Short Vamp Boots.

We have just received and placed on sale, at a special price, a lot of Women's Button Boots, with high arch and extreme short vamp. The short vamp makes the foot look much smaller and neater. All sizes.

Special price, $4 a pair.
Regularly $5.

Third floor—10th st.

Imported Hosiery.

Women's French Lisle Thread Hose, in gray and navy blue, made with double soles and high-spliced heels,

25c the pair.
Regular price, 50c.

Main floor—F st.

WOODWARD & LOTHROP,

10th, 11th, F & G Sts. N. W.
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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For Sale.

JUST COMPLETED,

Two new six-room Frame Dwellings on south side of Princess, between Payne and West streets, with large yards. These houses have bath room and pantry.

Three story Brick Dwelling No. 207 Prince street, with very large side lot. House contains twelve rooms with two bath rooms, and is in first class condition.

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Electric Flat Irons eliminate the "walking match."—They heat quickly, and stay hot, and maintain an even temperature all the time—no fire to keep going when the iron is not in use.

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MEETINGS.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the BUNDETTE LAND, LUMBER & COAL COMPANY, Incorporated, will be held at the office of said company, No. 128 south Fairfax street, Alexandria Va., on MONDAY, February 18, 1907, at 4 o'clock p. m., for the election of directors and for the transaction of such other business as may legally come before said meeting.

WILLIAM HITZ,
Secretary.
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AUCTION SALES.

By Samuel H. Lunt, Auctioneer.

BY VIRTUE OF AND PURSUANT TO the terms of a deed of trust, dated July 25th, 1904, executed by John H. Williams and wife, to be undersigned trustee, and of record in deed book No. 51, folia 513, of the land records of the city of Alexandria, Va., and at the request and direction of the party thereby secured, default having been made in the payment of a note secured by said deed of trust, the undersigned trustee will offer for sale as public auction at the Royal street entrance of the Market Building, in said city, on WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 13th, 1907, at 12 o'clock m, ALL THAT CERTAIN PIECE OF LAND WITH THE BUILDINGS AN IMPROVEMENTS THEREON, situated on the northwest corner of Princess and Patrick streets, and bounded and described as follows:

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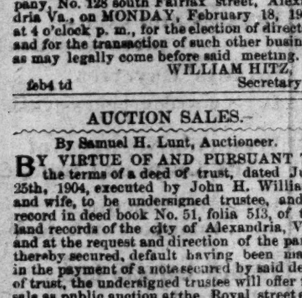

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Alexandria Gazette.

TUESDAY EVENING, FEB. 12, 1907.

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The Standard Oil Company in Pittsburg yesterday announced a division in Pennsylvania oil fixing, the price of Pennsylvania amber at $1.73 and Pennsylvania dark at $1.63. Prices of the other grades, except Ragland, were advanced from 2 to 5 cents. The quotations are: Pennsylvania amber, $1 73; Pennsylvania dark $1.63; Tiona, $1.73; second sand, $1.63; Cabell, $1.20; Corning, $1.12; Newcastle, $1.37; North Lima, 92 cents; South Lima, 87 cents; Indiana, 87 cents; Somerset, 87 cents; Ragland, 60 cents; Princeton, 66 cents; Richland, $1.78.

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The case of John E. Brickhouse, colored, vs. William Jessops and C. T. Brooks, election officers of Norfolk county, will be called in the United States Circuit Court in Richmond Wednesday morning. Brickhouse, under the advice of Capt. John S. Wise, now of New York, is suing the officials for damages, the right to vote because he had not met the requirements of the constitution of Virginia. The case has been long pending, and it is expected that final settlement will be effected Wednesday. Judge Nathan Goff, of West Virginia, will sit during the hearing of the case.

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EASTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA.

On the 6th day of February, A. D. 1907, on reading the petition of CLIFTON A. COFFLIN, bankrupt, for discharge, it is ordered by the court that a hearing be had upon the same on the 20TH DAY OF FEBRUARY, A. D., 1907, before said court, at Alexandria, in said district, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon; and that notice thereof be published in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper printed in said district, and that all known creditors and other persons in interest may appear at the said time and place and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered by the Court that the Clerk shall send by mail to all known creditors copies of said petition and this order, addressed to them at their places of residence, as stated.

Witness the Honorable Edmund Waddill, jr., judge of the said court, and the seal thereof at Alexandria, in said district, on the 6th day of February, 1907.

GEORGE E. BOWDEN, Clerk,
By R. P. W. GARNETT, Deputy Clerk.
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VIRGINIA.—In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 1st day of February, 1907.

George Apostolaskos } vs. } In chancery.
Ellen Apostolaskos, }

Memo. The object of this suit is to obtain an absolute divorce from the defendant, Ellen Apostolaskos, on the grounds of desertion.

In appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, Ellen Apostolaskos, is a non resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect her interests in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

A Copy—Teste
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk.
Samuel G. Brent, p. q. feb1 w4w-th

VIRGINIA.—In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, on the 8th day of February, 1907.

Thomas S. Gibson and David J. Howell, executors of the last will and testament of William Gibson, deceased, vs. William F. Gibson. In Chancery.

Memo. The object of this suit to recover of the defendant, William F. Gibson, the sum of $624.87, subject to a credit, however, of $93, as of July 23, 1903, leaving a balance due the complainants of $531.87 with interest from December 9th, 1905, until paid, and to attach and subject to the payment of the same the estate or debts owing to the said defendant, William F. Gibson.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, William F. Gibson, is a non-resident of this state: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interests in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House in this city.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

VIRGINIA.—In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 29th day of January, 1907.

City Council of Alexandria, which uses for itself and for such other lien creditors as may come into, take part in, and share the expenses of this suit, vs. Hugh Walters and Edward Gorman. In Chancery.

Memo: The object of this suit is to subject the following property in the city of Alexandria Va., viz; Lot No. 15, Lot No 16, Lot No. 17 and Lot No. 18 in T. F. Barrett square, bounded by Alfred street on the east; Patrick street on the west; Montgomery street on the south and Vanderville's line on the north, of Norton and Barley's subdivision, according to plat and survey recorded in deed book 31, page 118, Clerk's office of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, being the same lots conveyed to said Hugh Walters and Edward Gorman by Thomas F. Barrett and wife by deed bearing date January 31, 1894, and recorded April 14, 1894, in deed book No 31, page 582, Clerk's office of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, to the payment of the lien of the City Council of Alexandria, thereon for taxes, and all other liens.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendants, Hugh Walters and Edward Gorman are non-residents of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendants appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order and do what is necessary to protect their interests in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

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CHARLES BENDHEIM, Clerk,
By NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, D. C.
S. P. Fisher, p. q. jan30 w4w-w

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